



## Humanities Pathway

Students can choose from the following courses:  
**English Literature, Geography, History, Politics, and Languages.**

Complementary subjects:  
**Philosophy and Ethics, Psychology, Sociology, and a science-based subject.**



# A-Level History

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## Why study History?

The aims of the course are to encourage students to acquire knowledge and understanding of selected periods of history and develop an interest in, and an enthusiasm for, the study of history, which would form a sound basis for further historical study. This course would suit people who enjoy reading and debating issues and then writing essays to set out their arguments.

## What does the course involve?

### Unit 1 British period study and enquiry

England 1485-1558  
The Early Tudors and Mid Tudor Crises 1547-1558

### Unit 2 Non-British period study

Russia 1894-1941

### Unit 3 Thematic study and historical interpretation

Britain and Ireland 1791 –1921

### Unit 4 Topic based essay

## What can the qualification lead to?

This course supports progression from Level 2 studies and acts as a bridge to further study at college or university.

History is a well regarded academic subject that can be studied or can be used to support many other areas of study

### Who is it for?

This course would suit those who can think critically and reach substantiated judgments.